

# FR4185180

## Motter Avenue Bridge Project

### Construction Update

August 20, 2014



Crews place concrete for the median island on Opossumtown Pike.  
(August 11, 2014)

Please drive carefully through the work zone and beyond:

- Observe new signs and flaggers during lane closures.
- Watch for construction equipment and working crews.
- Automated speed enforcement is in place on US 15. The speed limit is 55 mph.



Crews prepare to pour the bridge deck for the final section of the new Motter Avenue bridge over US 15.  
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#### Recent Accomplishments:

1. On the Motter Avenue bridge over US 15, crews have completed installing deck pans and steel rebar in preparation to pour the concrete deck (driving surface) for the final section of the new bridge (pictured at lower left).
2. Crews have been working on grading for road widening along northbound and southbound US 15.
3. Crews have completed placing concrete for the new median on Opossumtown Pike (pictured at upper left).
4. Crews have been working on bulkheads in preparation for concrete pours. As concrete for the bridge deck is poured in multiple sections, bulkheads, or wooden partitions, form the borders to separate each section.

#### Upcoming work schedule:

1. Crews will continue working on the final section of the new bridge.
2. Crews will place concrete for curb and gutter as well as for sidewalk.
3. Crews will continue working on road widening on northbound US 15 for the lengthened deceleration lane approaching the Motter Avenue exit.
4. Crews will begin working on roadway milling and resurfacing.

On behalf of Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA), I would like to thank you for your cooperation and patience. Please drive with caution through our work zone.

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